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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
W.F. Terrell, *et al.*

Application No.: 09/222,340

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For: Method and Apparatus for Dynamically
Controlling the Provision of
Differentiated Services

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Sir:

Responsive to the official action mailed October 2, 2001, please amend the
application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 11, line 12 with the following paragraph:

21
Similarly, the communication links illustrated in **Figure 1** may be any of a wide
range of conventional wireline and wireless communication media, and may be different
for different clients, servers, bandwidth brokers and other network devices. For example,
a communication link may be a cable, a fiber optic cable, or may represent a nonphysical
medium transmitting electromagnetic signals in the electromagnetic spectrum.
Additionally, a wireless communication link may also include any number of
conventional routing or repeating devices, such as satellites or electromagnetic signal

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(inventor(s))

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SIR: Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above application.

 Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

 A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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